

MARRYING PARSON SAYS WAS FOOLED

Gives as Reason for Marrying Fourteen-Year-Old Girl that License Said She Was Eighteen.

MOTHER ALSO WAS WITH HER

Girl Leaves Boy Husband Immediately After the Wedding—Other Cases Involving Fourteen-Year-Old Girls.

Rev. Charles W. Savidge, the "marrying parson," appeared in juvenile court in answer to a summons to explain why he married Blanche Stevens, aged 14, and Russell Long, aged 15.

The young husband has been arrested on a statutory charge, involving an alleged attack on Alta Madison, 14, a friend of Blanche, asserted to have been committed two days before the marriage.

Dreary Old World If Everybody Was Rich, Says Opie Read

Opie Read thinks this would be a dreary old world if everybody in it had a million dollars.

"Think of it, just think of it," he asserted at the Auditorium, "if every body was worth \$1,000,000 and a man asked another to do some work, he would just put on a high-top air and tell him to change climates."

"Too much money cripples good fellowship. There was never a false belief than that money and ignorance can make a man happy."

The novelist came out as one of his own characters—Lam Jucklin—and in Lam's huge flitted with quick vision and quaint observation from one corner of the universe to the other.

"Poverty doesn't mean virtue, any more than ignorance means righteousness," said Mr. Jucklin, in his plea that the money god be pulled down.

The world isn't nearly so bad as most of the "God-help-us-we're-going-to-nieces" chautauqua lecturers would have us believe, according to Mr. Read.

"When we're beginning to wear about eyes, they are more likely to be going than coming," he said. "In pessimism there can be nothing but stagnation and death."

Speaking of the "Chaos of Europe," Mr. Read asked:

"At the Rome hotel, where Mr. Read is stopping, several old-time printers, who used to labor in the vineyard with him in Little Rock, Ark., where the newspaper career of Opie Read began, called to pay their respects. He chatted with them for a long time of the "golden days."

"He's written just what he found there in some of his books," said one printer, with a chuckle.

Mr. Read appeared as one of the Red-path lecturers.

Cute Little Coupe Has Some Fun With Dr. O. S. Hoffman

Dr. O. S. Hoffman, who is the proud possessor of a cute little coupe which he boasts can do anything any other car in the world can do, rolled merrily up in front of the Bee building at noon and stopped his machine just at the curb, preparatory to disembarking to enter his office.

Metcalf Again in Editorial Chair

The first number of the Omaha Nebraskan, under the editorship of Richard L. Metcalf, has made its appearance. It has eight pages and is all home print and the promise is made that it will be published every Thursday afternoon.

Miss Antin Coming to Speak in Omaha

Mary Antin, the Russian Jewess who was prominent by her publications, "The Promised Land" and "They Who Knock at Our Gates," will be brought to Omaha by the Political Equality League March 22 or 23. Miss Antin is said to be a brilliant speaker. Her husband is Prof. Amadeo Grabau of Columbia university. The announcement is made by Miss Jeanette McDonald of the suffrage league.

Croup and Cough Remedy. Dr. King's New Discovery gives almost instant relief—first dose helps, best remedy for coughs, colds and lung trouble. 50c and \$1.50. All dealers—Advertisement.

TO OPEN BIDS FOR THE GIRLS HOME WEDNESDAY

Bids for the contract of building the new working girls' home, for which the Creighton endowment was left, are not to be opened until Wednesday noon. It was announced a few days ago that they would be opened at the office of

CONFIDENCE MEN ARE IDENTIFIED BY VICTIM

Architect John McDonald Saturday noon, but this date has been postponed. Harry Alberts and Hugh Anderson, bound over to the district court for the theft of merchandise from Kilpatrick's

ARMIES GIVE BIG ORDER FOR AMERICAN SLEIGHS

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—The Yankee sleigh has become a necessity in the European war, because known today. Orders have been placed with a South Bend, Ind., firm by the British and French governments for 3,000 sleighs to be used in the transportation of supplies.

ARTICLE IN THE BEE FINDS HOMES FOR TWO YOUNG BOYS

As a result of an article in The Bee telling of the desire of juvenile authorities to find a home for Wiley Fields, aged 16, he and Reginald LeKania, also 16 years old, have found foster-parents.

FINED HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR OBSCENE LETTER

After pleading guilty to the charge of having written and mailed an obscene letter, Solomon Johnson of Greeley, Colo., was fined \$100 and costs in federal court by Judge Page Morris. He paid the fine.

Sunday, Dec. 6 1914 BURGESS-NASH COMPANY STORE NEWS FOR MONDAY BURGESS-NASH COMPANY Phone Douglas 137

Our ONE WORD of ADVICE To ALL IS—"SHOP EARLY"—NOW

SHOP early in the day—for your comfort and satisfaction—for everybody's comfort and satisfaction. If you shop early in the day selections can be made more critically, more intelligently, more satisfactorily.

Burgess-Nash Company Christmas Bureau is ready! And has for its object the lessening of your Christmas burdens. Here parcels will be wrapped for delivery by mail, express, parcel post or in person.

MAIN FLOOR—Postoffice. —Stamps, parcel post, money orders, registered and insured mail.

Public Service Bureau. —Weighing packages, Red Cross seals and stamps. —Tickets for all theaters. —Telephone and electric light bills.

—Monthly accounts. —Information bureau. —Gift certificates issued. —Glove bonds issued. —Checks cashed. —Shopping guide bureau. —Shopping guides furnished.

Bureau of Adjustment and Lost and Found Desk. —Adjustments made. —Wagon calls issued.

—Lost and found articles. —Free telephone for customers who wish to phone regarding their purchases.

—Information and suggestions for Christmas shopping. —Interpreters furnished for those who cannot easily speak the English language. —Transfer Desk. —Transfers settled. —"Will Call" packages delivered and part payments received.

Accommodation Desk. —Parcels sent through our Delivery Department. —Check Desk. —Wraps, suit cases, umbrellas or packages checked free of charge.

BURGESS-NASH COMPANY. Something New— Tailored Covert Cloth Suits at \$29.50

Plain Tailored or Fur Trimmed—Last Word in Tailored Suits for Winter

BEAUTIFUL new creations in several very attractive styles that will appeal to the woman who is seeking something new and different in tailored suits.

Made of the new covert cloth, plain tailored or fur trimmed. New short jacket, with neat belt. The skirts are the new flare style.

The suits are superbly tailored and finished throughout and we consider them exceptional values at the price quoted for Monday.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor.

We Are Representatives for the Harrison Reinder Fabric GLOVES

THESE gloves have every appearance of an extra fine mocha or undressed kid. They are not leather gloves. They are made of a wonderful fabric so dextrously woven and finished as to require the closest scrutiny in order to detect them from the finest mocha or suede leathers.

Harrison's Washable Reinder Fabric Gloves. Are made in a full line of colors and in different grades to suit the general demand. We have a complete line for women and children.

Women's Short Gloves, pr. 50c to \$1.00. Women's Long Gloves, pair...\$2.50. Children's Short Gloves, pair...\$1.00.

Wedgewood Ware for Christmas Beautiful, Original, Artistic -- Always

A GIFT that never fails to bring forth expressions of surprise and joy—as it should. Josiah Wedgewood, the originator of Wedgewood ware, is a name famous in the annals of artistic china, not only because of the beauty of his designs, but also because of his courage.

Wedgewood Salad Sets, Complete, \$15.98. Very large English colonial bowl on plate, 12 seven-inch salad plates, mayonnaise set with ladle in truly original design, blue and brick red, scenic center.

Other sets, same composition, designs; pineapple border, \$19.50. Bread and butter plates, luncheon plates, service plates, tea cups and saucers, chop plates, etc. Price range, \$12.00 to \$25.00.

Men's House Slippers, \$1.75

MEN'S opera and Everett style house slippers, made from vicid kid leathers, full lined vamp, hand-turned soles; very comfortable. Special values.

Men's "Cumfy" Slippers, \$1.50. Men's felt house slippers. "Cumfy" cushion inner sole and soft leather outer sole. The most comfortable slipper made.

Women's "Cumfy" Slippers, \$1.65. Women's felt house slippers. "Cumfy" cushion inner sole, ribbon trimmed with silk pom-pom in colors of lavender, blue, pink, brown and taupe.

Women's Felt Slippers, \$1.25. Women's fur and ribbon trimmed Juliet felt house slippers; flexible hand-turned leather soles; colors black, brown, wine and gray.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor.

Truthful Advertising is a Part of our business policy.

We gladly endorse the Omaha Ad Club's work to make all advertising truthful.

BURGESS-NASH COMPANY The Christmas Store for Everybody

Jewelry Novelties, Silverware and Leather Goods That Make Very Practical and Acceptable Christmas Gifts

50-Piece Wm. H. Rogers' Silver Set, \$3.69. Wm. H. Rogers' celebrated silverware, 8 teaspoons, 4 knives, 8 forks, 8 table spoons, sugar shaker and butter knife.

Thousands of Gift Handkerchiefs Ready

GREAT piles of snow-white handkerchiefs—stacks of boxes—a wonderful variety of kinds and qualities, with prices ranging from 5c and up by easy steps to \$25.00.

Men's Handkerchiefs, 3 for 50c. Men's colored initial handkerchiefs, 3 in fancy box, 3 for 50c.

Women's Handkerchiefs, 10c. Women's pure linen hem-stitched, bordered corner, also colored bordered handkerchiefs.

Women's Handkerchiefs, 5c to \$2.00. Beautiful showing in Swiss, plain linen initial and Irish, French embroidery corners, each 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c and up to \$2.00.

Rich New FURS Always Make Splendid Xmas Gifts

A MAGNIFICENT display of furs in small pieces, as well as coats, etc. The standard articles as well as novelty styles.

Beautiful Fur Coats \$35.00 to \$150.00. Including Russian pony, Hudson seal, River mink, Marmot and marten, plain and combination fur.

Fur Sets, \$10.00 to \$205.00. Including Belgian coney, marmot tiger, kit coney, black fox, pointed fox, Eastern mink, black lynx, natural wolf, French marten, etc.

Women's Sweaters, \$1.98. GOOD wool sweaters, fancy weave, belt at back; variety of pretty new colors.

Sweaters at \$4.95. Annette Kellerman make, extra fine wool, V shape neck, pocket at side; in all the new mixture shades.

Sweaters at \$5.98. Dr. Jaeger make. Fine angora, with roll collar, pockets; beautiful colors.

Useful Gifts In Electrical Goods

Every article guaranteed. A generous display. Electric Percolators, heavy copper nickel plated, upward from \$9.00.

Electric Coffee Machines, heavy copper, nickel plated, upward from \$10.00. Electric grills, toasts, broils, fries and boils, at \$5.00.

Special Monday at \$5.00. Thermax electric irons, 5-yr. guarantee \$2.85. Electric curling irons, complete; special \$3.00.

Artistic Display of Art NOVELTIES

THE display includes quaint inlaid German bowls, beautiful lacquered lamps, lacquered cake boxes, lacquered trays, handily inlaid book ends for the library table, Russian desk sets, leather bags, fire-place screens, colorful picture hangers, leather guest books, pretty little tea caddies and scores of other quaint and unique novelties, which we invite you to come and see.

Novelties that make useful and beautiful Christmas gifts. Burgess-Nash Co.—Third Floor.

Every Childish Dream of Christmas Morning Can Be Realized Here In Toy Town

A VERITABLE fairy land—a wonderful world of make-believe so bright with colored lights and decorations—and such a large and complete showing of toys of all kinds from every land.

There's a buzz and a whirl in our Toy Town you'll like, and you, too, will grow young again and handle the toys with a smile on your face as bygone memories come crowding on.

and carry you back to the time you hung your stockings at the fireplace and could not sleep because of a consuming eagerness for the coming morning.

BRING THE LITTLE ONES IN THE MORNING TO SEE SANTA CLAUS AND A VISIT TO TOY TOWN. The dear old fellow has a gift for every child accompanied by an adult.

Hurry Children, Write Santa Christmas will soon be here and if you would have Santa Claus know your wishes write him care Burgess-Nash Company. See what a nice letter he will send you in reply.

New Fancy RIBBONS For Xmas Gift Making

IT may be a work bag or a pretty handkerchief case for a friend, or it may be an attractive giraffe, vests and trimmings.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Main Floor.

Japanese Hand-Made Bamboo Bronzed Baskets for Christmas

Four Big Assortments Specially Priced for Monday

50c to 60c Baskets, 25c. Cord baskets, flower baskets, fern baskets, fruit baskets, etc.; worth 50c to 60c.

\$1.00 Baskets, 50c. Fruit baskets, waste baskets, flower baskets, sandwich baskets; all designs. Worth up to \$1.00.

\$1.25 Baskets, 75c. Large fruit baskets, Turkish fruit baskets, vases for sweet peas, cake baskets, etc. Worth up to \$1.25.

\$1.95 Baskets, 95c. Tokio fruit baskets, sandwich baskets, flower baskets; large sizes. Worth up to \$1.95.

ECONOMY BASEMENT Sample Line of Towels Very Specially Priced for Monday

TRAVELING MEN'S samples of towels in huck and Turkish towels, plain and fancy, at about one-half regular price. These goods are slightly soiled from handling, but otherwise perfect.

8c Towels, 2c. Turkish and face towels, also wash cloths, values up to 15c; at, each 2c.

15c Towels, 7 1/2c. Huck and Turkish towels, values up to 15c; at, each 7 1/2c.

19c Towels, 10c. Huck and Turkish towels, values up to 19c; at, each 10c.

Auto Robes, \$3.98 to \$6.50. Strictly all wool, large size robes that will make a very desirable Xmas gift. Handsome, unusual looking plaid designs with fancy borders—

\$3.98 to \$6.50. Bath Robe Blankets, \$1.75. Wool finished bath robe blankets in beautiful designs and color combinations, suitable for both women's and men's robes. Complete with neck and waist cords to match. \$2.98 values, set, \$1.75.

25c Towels, 15c. Turkish towels, plain and fancy borders, values to 25c; at, each 15c.

35c Towels, 19c. Plain and fancy Turkish towels, exceptionally good 19c values to 35c; at, each 19c.

59c Towels, 29c. Turkish towels in plain and fancy borders, medium and extra large size, values to 59c; at, each 29c.

\$3.00 Cotton Blankets, \$1.50. Wool finished cotton blankets, wear and wash better, keep their finish and are deserving of advertisement we give them: the regular \$3.00 white and fancy plaid blankets at, per pair, \$1.50.

\$3.50 Wool Finished Blankets, \$1.69. The regular \$3.50 size, 72x84, wool finished white blankets, with blue and pink borders; at, pair, \$1.69.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Basement.